

FIG. 1

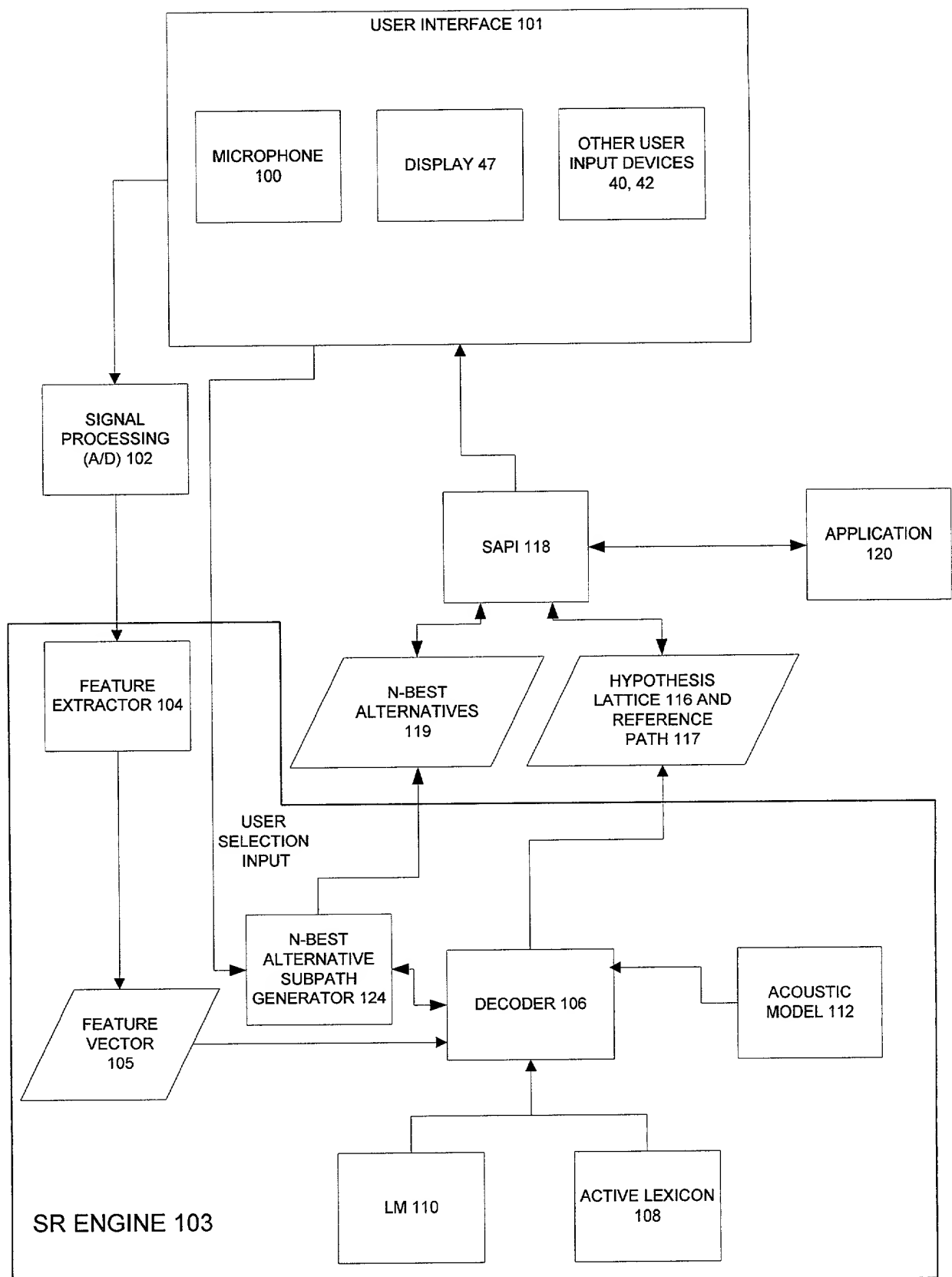


FIG. 2

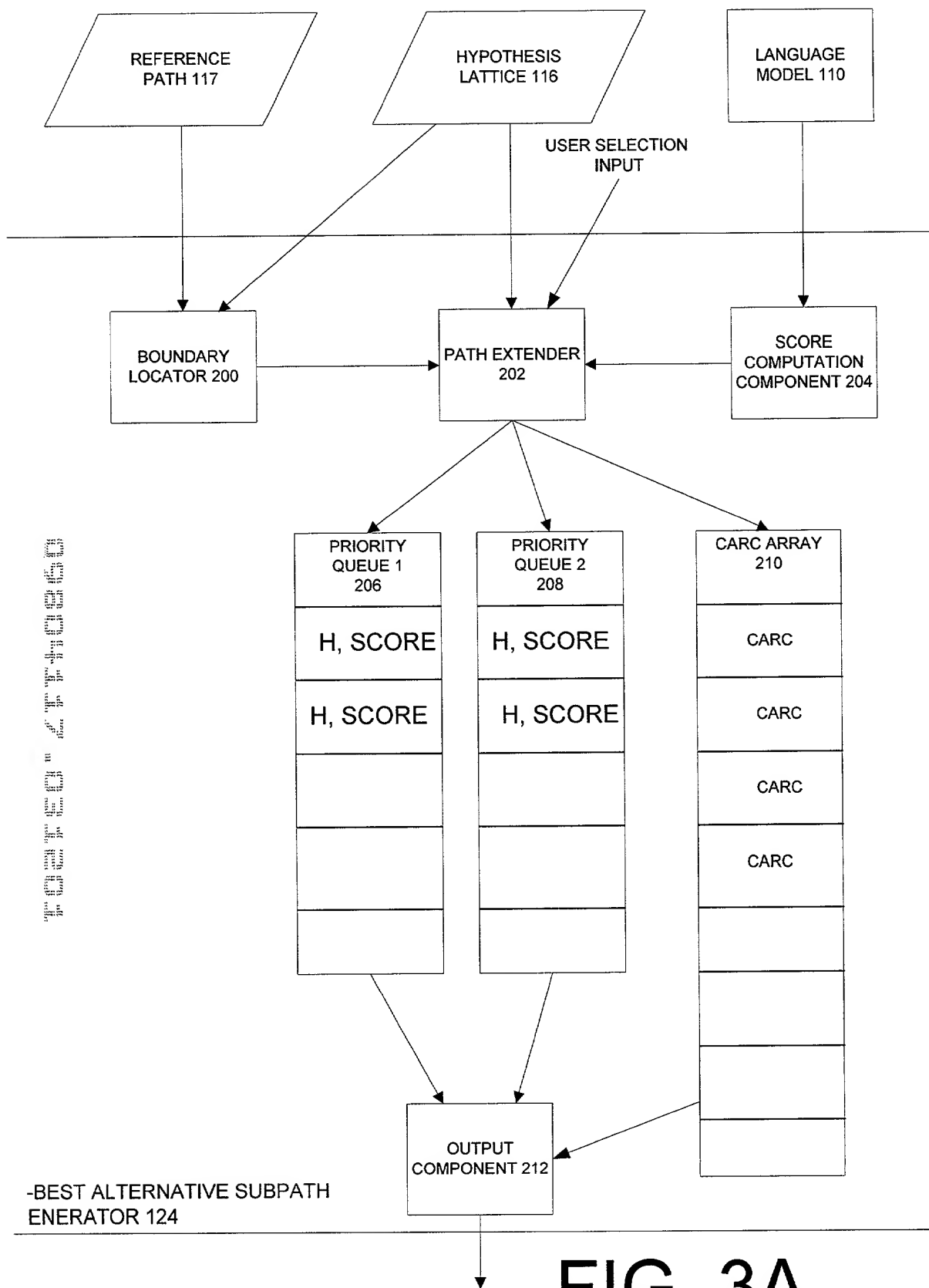


FIG. 3A

N-BEST
ALTERNATIVES

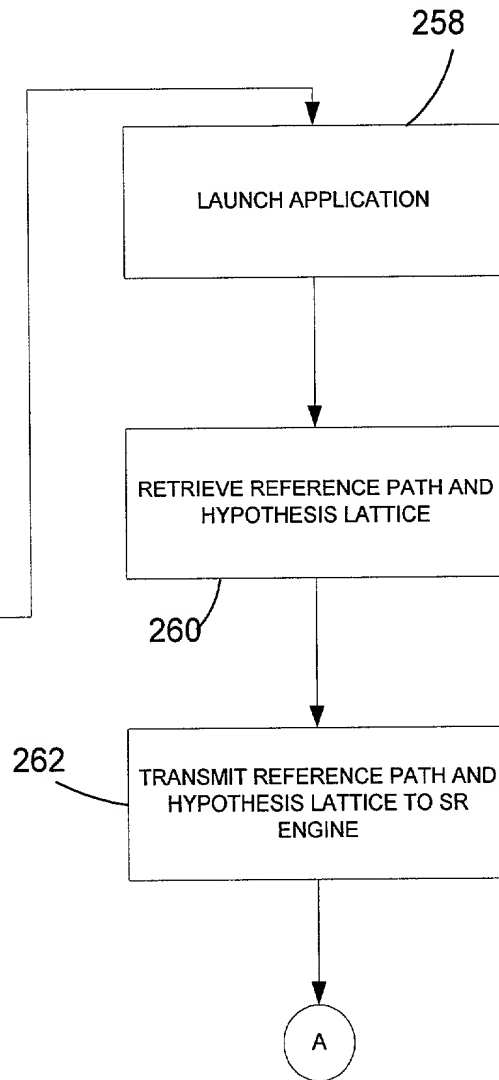
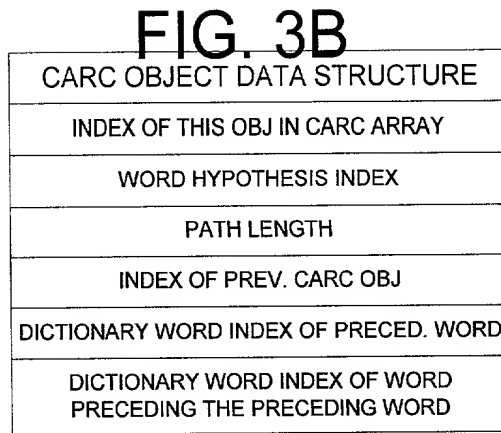
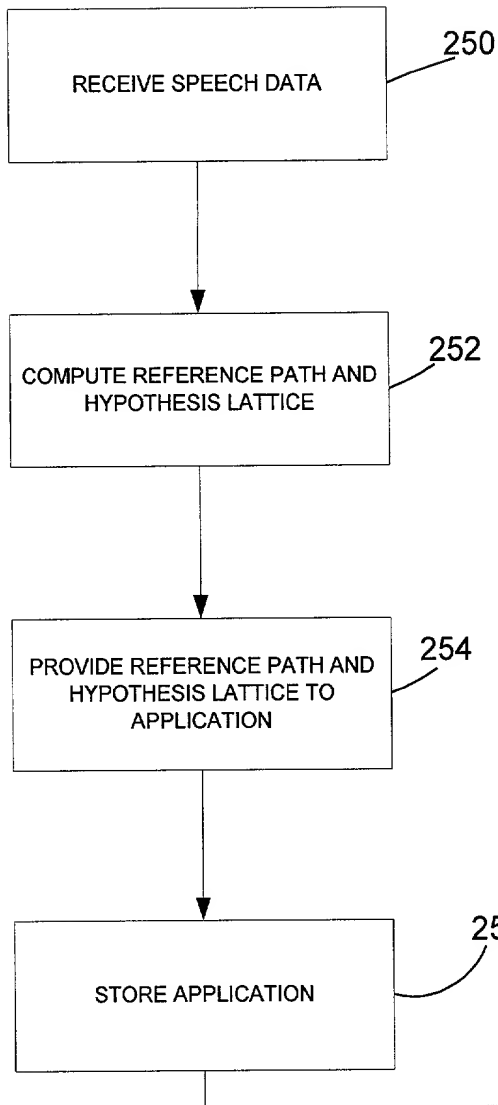


FIG. 4A

A

FIG. 4B

RECEIVE USER
SELECTION OF
TEXT TO BE
CORRECTED 264

FIND BEGINNING
BOUNDARY
CONDITIONS 266

FIND ENDING
BOUNDARY
CONDITIONS 268

CONSTRUCT ALTERNATE
SUBPATHS BY CONCATENATING
WORDS IN THE HYPOTHESIS
LATTICE THAT SATISFY BEGINNING
AND ENDING BOUNDARY
CONDITIONS 270

RANK FINAL
ALTERNATIVE
SUBPATHS BY
SCORE 272

PRESENT TOP n
SUBPATHS TO
THE USER 276

278 FIND, IN THE HYPOTHESIS
LATTICE, THE INSTANCE
OF THE WORD
PRECEDING THE USER-
SELECTED TEXT IN THE
REFERENCE PATH

280 NOTE ITS BEGINNING
TIME AS THE BEGINNING
BOUNDARY

282 SET THE BEGINNING
BOUNDARY CONDITIONS
TO INCLUDE AN
INSTANCE OF THAT
LEXICAL WORD THAT HAS
THE SAME BEGINNING
TIME

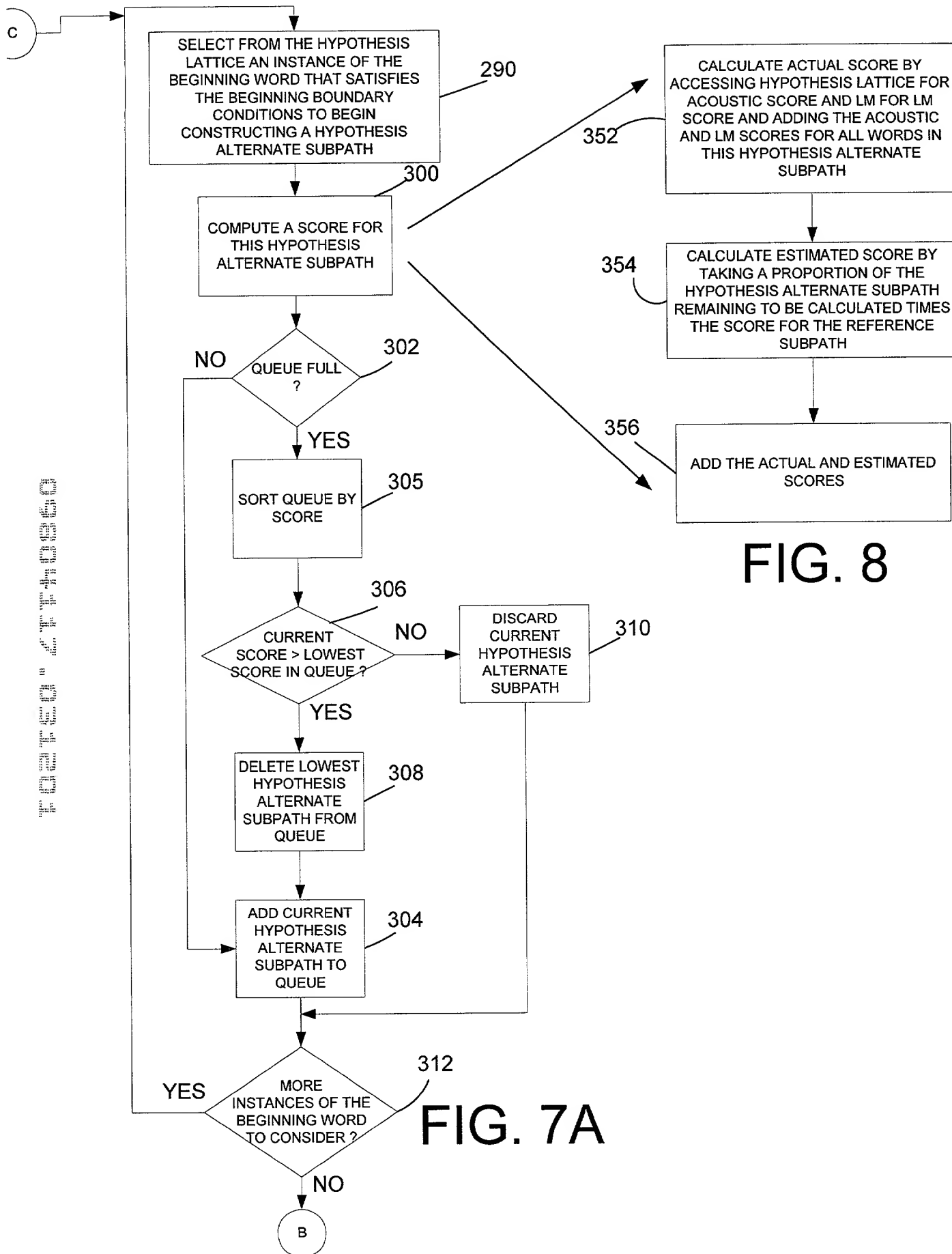
FIG. 5

284 FIND, IN THE HYPOTHESIS
LATTICE, THE INSTANCE
OF THE WORD IN THE
REFERENCE PATH
FOLLOWING THE USER-
SELECTED TEXT

286 NOTE ITS ENDING
TIME AS THE ENDING
BOUNDARY

288 SET THE ENDING
BOUNDARY CONDITIONS
TO INCLUDE AN
INSTANCE OF THAT
LEXICAL WORD HAVING
THE SAME ENDING TIME

FIG. 6



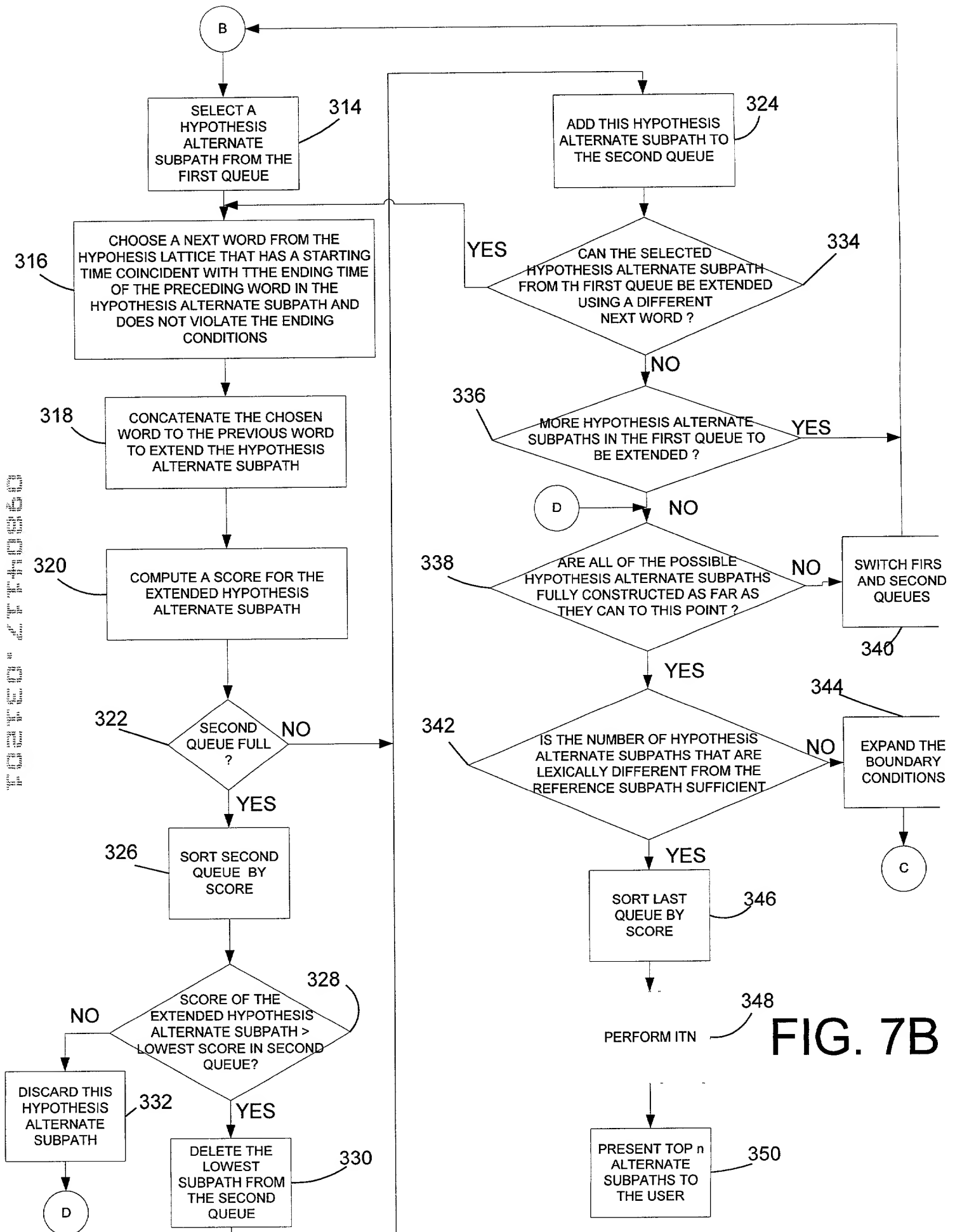


FIG. 7B